

Attorney Docket No. LMND.P098C

REMARKS

Applicants respectfully request entry of the terminal disclaimer file herewith and consideration of the remarks. Claims 57-61, 64-68, 70-80, and 82-92 are pending in the application. Claims 64-66, 75-77, 79, 80, 82, 83, and 85-91 are withdrawn from
5 consideration. Claims 57-61, 67, 68, 70-74, 78, 84, and 92 are rejected. Applicants respectfully submit that claims 57-61, 67, 68, 70-74, 78, 84, and 92, in view of the terminal disclaimer filed herewith, are patentably distinct from the cited prior art and the prior art made of record, and therefore the double patenting rejections have been overcome. Thus, Applicants respectfully request withdrawal of the rejections.

10 ***Double Patenting***

Claims 57-61, 67, 68, 70-74, 78, 84, and 92 are rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-3, 6, 7, 9-17, 23, 28, and 29 of United States Patent number 6,508,825. A terminal disclaimer is filed herewith. Thus, Applicants respectfully request withdrawal of this
15 rejection.

Claims 57-61, 67, 68, 70-74, 78, 84, and 92 are rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-3, and 4 of United States Patent number 6,599,304. A terminal disclaimer is filed herewith. Thus, Applicants respectfully request withdrawal of this rejection.

20 ***Conclusion***

In view of the foregoing remarks, Applicants respectfully submit that claims 57-61, 67, 68, 70-74, 78, 84, and 92 are in condition for allowance. Thus, allowance of the claims is requested. Examiner Truong is encouraged to call Rick Gregory at (408) 236-6646 if any issues remain prior to allowance.

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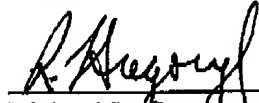
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Respectfully submitted,

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